

MINUTES OF THE SEMITROPIC WATER STORAGE
DISTRICT GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY
(GSA) MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
THE SEMITROPIC WATER STORAGE DISTRICT

Convened at 1:05 p.m. on Wednesday, August 13, 2025

The GSA meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order by President Waterhouse on Wednesday, August 13, 2025, at 1:05p.m., at the Semitropic Water Storage District (District) office located at 1101 Central Avenue, Wasco, California.

Directors Present: Dan Waterhouse, Tim Thomson,
Chad W. Carroll, Todd Tracy, Jeff Fabbri, David Daniel
Philip Portwood

Directors Absent: None

Other Participants: General Manager, Jason Gianquinto
District Engineer, Isela Medina
District Controller, Bobby Salinas
District Superintendent, John Lynch
Receptionist, Yesenia Ramirez
District Legal Counsel, Steve Torigiani
Special Projects Manager, Larry Rodriguez
Rick Amigh (WML)
Sam Schaefer (GEI)
Greg Allen (REDtrac)
Oscar Lopez (Wonderful Orchards)
Maddie Reyes (Illume Ag.)
Travis Millwee (Pacific Resources)
Rayme Mackinson (Poso Creek Family Dairy)
Jesus Alonso (Clean Water Action)
Floyd Wicks (Agua Via)
Justin Murray (AG Thought)
Geoff Vanden Heuvel (Milk Producers Council)
Kaho Kong (Valley Water)
Steven Piggott (Nuveen Natural Capitol)

SEMITROPIC WSD GSA UPDATE

At 1:05 p.m., the Board President, Dan Waterhouse declared a meeting of the Semitropic Water Storage District Groundwater Sustainability Agency.

SGMA Updates and Discussion

General Manager, Jason Gianquinto, provided an update regarding the District's SGMA-related activities.

1:10 PM PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER ADOPTION OF THE 2025 GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN (GSP) FOR KERN COUNTY SUBBASIN

Legal Counsel, Steve Torigiani, provided an overview of the hearing procedure regarding the adoption of the 2025 Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) for the Kern County Basin and the Semitropic Water Storage District Groundwater Sustainability Agency.

General Manager, Jason Gianquinto, and Special Project Manager, Larry Rodriguez, presented an overview of the 2025 GSP for the Basin and the 2025 GSP for the Semitropic GSA.

After the presentation, Board President, Dan Waterhouse, opened the floor for any public comments. There were no public comments received before or during the public hearing. At 1:44 p.m., the public hearing was closed.

Consider adoption of 2025 GSP for Kern County Subbasin and adoption of 2025 GSP for Semitropic Water Storage District GSA

On motion by Director Daniel, seconded by Director Thomson and unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2025 GSP for Kern County Subbasin and 2025 GSP for Semitropic Water Storage District GSA.

Consider approval of the Third Amended Kern County Subbasin Coordination Agreement among Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agencies

On motion by Director Tracy, seconded by Director Fabbri and unanimously carried, the Board approved and authorized execution of the Third Amended Kern County Subbasin Coordination Agreement among Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agencies

The GSA meeting adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

APPROVED:



Daniel Waterhouse, President



Todd Tracy, Secretary